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NEW YORK EGG PRODUCTION UP 1 PERCENT IN JULY

Egg production on New York farms totaled 110 million eggs in July 2013, up 1 percent from last year, according to Blair Smith, State Statistician of USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service, New York Field Office.

The number of hens and pullets of laying age, at 4.37 million, increased 5 percent from July 2012 and the rate of lay increased 4 percent to 2,518 eggs per 100 layers.

United States egg production totaled 7.97 billion during July 2013, up 3 percent from last year. Production included 6.88 billion table eggs, and 1.09 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.01 billion were broiler-type and 77 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during July 2013 averaged 344 million, up 2 percent from last year. July egg production per 100 layers was 2,313 eggs, up slightly from July 2012.

United States egg-type chicks hatched during July 2013 totaled 38.5 million, up 8 percent from July 2012. Eggs in incubators totaled 35.4 million on August 1, 2013, down 8 percent from a year ago. The information in this release is available by free email subscription by subscribing to New York reports at www.nass.usda.gov/ny.

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